



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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SPECIFIC SUBSTRATES FOR
O6-ALKYLGUANINE-DNA
ALKYLTRANSFERASE

: **Mail Stop: Amendment**

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a responsive to the Official Action dated July 15, 2009.

The Official Action constitutes a Requirement for a Restriction.

Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group I, claims 1-2 (part), 3-22, 44-47 (part), drawn to compounds and methods wherein R1-A of formula (1) is a purine radical of formula (2), without traverse.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975.

Respectfully submitted,

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